

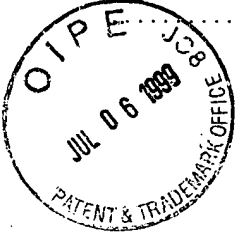
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND  
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**PATENT**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
TRANSMITTAL**

Applicant(s):	Peshkin, et al.	Docket No.:	20944.2200
Serial No.:	09/264,065	Group Art Unit:	2734
Filed:	March 8, 1999	Examiner:	NYA
TITLE:	METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR COMMUNICATING COMMANDS AND DATA USING LOGICAL CHANNELS		

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Dear Sir:

Attached herewith is a Preliminary Amendment to the above-identified application.

- [ ] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- [ ] A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

**FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:**

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Claims Extra Over # Allowed or Previously Paid For	Fee for Extra Claims or Over # Allowed	Additional Fee
Total Effective Claims	<u>18</u>	4	= 14	x \$ 0.00	= 0.00
Independent Claims	<u>4</u>	4	= 0	x \$ 78.00	= 0.00
If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (per application)				\$260.00 +	N/A
				<b>Subtotal:</b>	0.00

**Fee Calculation: Request for Extension of Time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

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If one of the "small entity" boxes above is checked, enter half (½)  
of the second subtotal and **subtract**. \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE ENCLOSED:** \$0.00

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**This statement does NOT authorize charge of the issue fee.** The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any **deficiency** in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.18 (**deficiency** only) now or hereafter relative to this Application and the resulting Official document under 37 C.F.R. §1.20, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-2814 for which purpose a duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: June 29, 1999

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